

City Times

NEWSLETTER

HAPPY AUGUST, TEAM!

July and August are, on average, the hottest months in Oklahoma! Staff members, especially field workers, are reminded to please stay hydrated, take advantage of the shade during breaks and heed instruction from management for earlier start times.

Check out some of **WHAT'S NEXT**, city-wide:

- [Lawton Birthday Reception & Ceremony](#): 8/2/18 @Lawton City Hall
- [Back 2 School Bash](#): 8/4/18 @Great Plains Coliseum
- [Let's Talk About it Oklahoma](#): 8/16/18 @Cameron Univeristy
- [Miss Lawton Pageant](#): 8/18/18 @McMahon Memorial Auditorium
- [Coffee with Cops](#) : 8/18/18 @McDonald's on 67th & Gore
- [Alzheimer's Walk](#): 8/25/18 @Elmer Thomas Park – **City of Lawton employee sign-ups are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on 8/9/18 @City Hall**
- [Team Scouting & Recruitment](#): 27 COL positions; open until filled at various City sites & locations.



AUGUST 2018
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In late July, the Lawton Police Department held its annual Junior Citizens Police Academy at Greater Galilee Baptist Church. Twenty-five students, ages 13-17, graduated from the program – having learned about various areas of the department, such as the K-9 Unit, Gang Unit, Administration, Community Oriented Policing and more!

INTRAMURAL
SPORTS
UPDATE



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In revamping a City of Lawton Intramural Sports League for employees, the EAC reports KICKBALL has gauged the most interest. Employees are still welcome to contact Chairman Travis Estep at ext. 375 or testep@lawtonok.gov for feedback.

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DAYFORCE TRAINING
INTRODUCTORY SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15 in Auditorium
FRIDAY, AUG. 17 in Banquet Hall

Sessions will take place at 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 1:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m. both days

Sessions will take place at City Hall

The City of Lawton will transition to a fully digital payroll system by way of Ceridian's Dayforce HCM – a cloud-based application for payroll, benefits and workforce management – on Sept. 17, 2018.

Among other benefits, this system will allow City employees the convenience of:

- Online time entry and approval
- Receiving vital, employer information in a more timely manner
- Checking balances of, and submitting for, leave time instantaneously
- Altering health, dental or other packaged benefits digitally and without appointment
- Streamlining day-to-day duties in a paperless, Cloud-based application



Both the Lawton Police Department and Lawton Fire Department participated in the Lip Sync Challenge, promoting community engagement and racking up more than 1.5M views collectively!



In the News

City of Lawton, July 2018



STREETS & ANIMAL WELFARE were both highlighted via local news outlets for ongoing projects and programs.

